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September 16, 1983

THROUGH: Roland E. Johnson, Superintendent  
Laguna Agency

Honorable Kenneth L. Smith  
Assistant Secretary for Indian Affairs  
U.S. Department of the Interior  
1951 Constitution Ave., N.W.  
Washington, D.C. 20245

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Date: 9/12/13

Dear Mr. Smith:

Enclosed please find the Pueblo of Laguna's proposal for evaluation of the Anaconda Minerals Company proposal for settlement of the reclamation issue. The Pueblo would like to give Anaconda's proposal serious consideration. A complete financial analysis appears to be in order. Further, the Pueblo would like to explore several different methods of undertaking the reclamation obligation. We are asking for a total of \$55,100 to be contracted for by the Pueblo through the Laguna Agency. If there are any questions, please call Mr. Ron Solimon at (505) 243-9636 or (505) 552-6654.

Thank you once again, for your interest in the needs and activities of the Pueblo. Our thoughts and prayers are with you as you work on behalf of all Native Americans and Alaskan Natives.

Sincerely,

PUEBLO OF LAGUNA

Vincenti Pedro,  
First Lieutenant Governor

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